

# News

## *fire information*

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## Color Country Fire Update – July 18

A Red Flag Warning has been issued for southwestern Utah today for gusty winds and low humidity. Winds are expected to be from the south at 15-25 miles per hour with gusts up to 35 miles per hour.

**Dakota Hills Complex** - Several fires are burning in inaccessible terrain in the northeastern part of Zion National Park. The Zion 3 fire is estimated at 1,200 acres. Two other fires, the Zion1 estimated at 82 acres and the Zion 2 estimated at 59 acres, may burn together. Temporary closures of portions of the West Rim Trail, portions of East Mesa Trail and the Narrows above the junction with Orderville Canyon are in effect. A Type 3 Color Country Team is managing the fire and will transition with a Type 2 Incident Management Team on Thursday or Friday.

**1059** – Estimated at 11 acres; 35 miles S of St. George

**HWY 12** – Estimated 10 acres; located at the Junction between Highway 89 and Highway 12

**Radio** – Estimated at 10 acres; burning to NE; 17 miles SW of St. George.

**Paradise** – Estimated at 50 acres; 20 miles west of Beryl

**Red Hollow** – Estimated at 100 acres; 5 miles NE of Motoqua

**Willow** - Estimated at 20 acres; 6 miles S of Minersville

**Danish Ranch** - Estimated at 25 acres; 5 miles NW of Leeds

**Powerline** – 853 acres; 100% containment; 16 miles N of St. George.

**Gorge** - Estimated at 350 acres; 100% containment; 17 miles SW of St. George.

**Antelope Springs** - Estimated at 200 acres; 100% containment; 15 miles NW of Cedar City.

**Other Information:** Please call the toll-free fire information line at 1-866-447-1283 or visit [www.utahfireinfo.gov](http://www.utahfireinfo.gov) for more information on fire activity. All residents and visitors are reminded that fire restrictions remain in effect for the Color Country fire management area.

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